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YUKIO HOSAKA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: RACHUBA, MAURINA T.

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FOR: ABRASIVE PAD, METHOD AND METAL MOLD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER POLISHING METHOD

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 7, 2006, Applicants request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Support for the Amendment begins on page 6 of this paper.

Request for Reconsideration begins on page 7 of this paper.